

IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
FOR THE EASTERN DISTRICT OF PENNSYLVANIA

DA SILVA et al.,	:	CIVIL ACTION
	:	NO. 20-01395
Plaintiffs,	:	
	:	
v.	:	
	:	
TEMPLE UNIVERSITY HOSPITAL,	:	
INC., et al.,	:	
	:	
Defendants.	:	

ORDER

AND NOW, this **10th** day of **December, 2020**, after considering: the United States' Motion to Substitute, Stay, and Extend Answer Deadline (ECF No. 5); Plaintiffs' Motions to Dismiss the Claims Against the United States and Remand (ECF Nos. 6, 8); and the parties' Responses and Replies thereto (ECF Nos. 6, 7, 10, 11, 12, 15, 16) and holding a hearing on the record, it is hereby **ORDERED**, for the reasons set forth in the accompanying memorandum, that the United States' Motion to Substitute, Stay, and Extend Answer Deadline (ECF No. 5) is **GRANTED** and Plaintiffs' Motions to Dismiss the Claims Against the United States and Remand (ECF Nos. 6, 8) are **DENIED**. Accordingly:

1. Clinton Turner, M.D., is **DISMISSED** as a party to this action;
2. The United States of America is **SUBSTITUTED** as a

federal defendant in place of Turner; and

3. The action is **STAYED** until further order of the Court. Counsel for Plaintiffs shall promptly notify the Court upon exhaustion of their administrative remedies against the United States.

It is **FURTHER ORDERED** that:

1. Plaintiffs' Motion for Leave to File a Reply Brief (ECF No. 15) is **GRANTED**; and
2. The Temple Defendants' Motion for Leave to File a Sur-Reply (ECF No. 16) is **GRANTED**.

AND IT IS SO ORDERED.

/s/ Eduardo C. Robreno
EDUARDO C. ROBRENO, J.